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Docket No.: HHI-040US  
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of:  
Christian Boehnke

Application No.: 10/070562

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Art Unit: 1734

For: DEVICE AND METHOD FOR MELTING AND  
CONVEYING MATERIAL

Examiner: Sue A. Purvis

**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

MS Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

Applicant hereby petitions for a one-month extension of term, attached hereto, thereby extending the term for response to and including January 27, 2005.

In response to the Office Action dated September 27, 2004, consideration of the remarks provided, and reconsideration of the application are respectfully requested, in accordance with the following wherein:

**Amendments to the Drawings** are described on page 2 of this paper with a Replacement Sheet attached; and

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 3 of this paper.